

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

LEON BRAZIN, Derivatively On Behalf of  
PUTNAM VISTA FUND,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JOHN A. HILL, JAMESON A. BAXTER,  
CHARLES B. CURTIS, RONALD J. JACKSON,  
PAUL L. JOSKOW, ELIZABETH T. KENNAN,  
LAWRENCE J. LASSER, JOHN H. MULLIN, III,  
ROBERT E. PATTERSON, GEORGE PUTNAM,  
III, A.J.C. SMITH, W. THOMAS STEPHENS, W.  
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MICHAEL T. HEALY, BRETT C. BROWCHUCK,  
CHARLES E. HALDEMAN, JR., LAWRENCE J.  
LASSER, BETH S. MAZOR, RICHARD A.  
MONAGHAN, STEPHEN M. ORSTAGLIO,  
GORDON H. SILVER, MARK C. TRENCHARD,  
DEBORAH F. KUENSTNER, JUDITH COHEN,  
MARSH & MCLENNAN COMPANIES, INC.,  
PUTNAM INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, LLC,  
PUTNAM INVESTMENT FUNDS, PUTNAM  
INVESTMENT TRUSTS,

Defendants.

- and -

PUTNAM VISTA FUND, a Massachusetts  
Corporation,

Nominal Defendant.

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**CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Pursuant to Rule 7.3 of the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts, Putnam Investment Funds and Putnam Vista Fund make this Corporate Disclosure Statement:

1. Putnam Investment Funds is a Massachusetts business trust which is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission. It is a sponsor of a series of other funds in the Putnam family.
2. Putnam Vista Fund is a Massachusetts business trust which is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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Respectfully Submitted,

  
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